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Count this one against the settlement

"411. Many of the tactics that Microsoft has employed have also harmed consumers indirectly by unjustifiably distorting competition." from finding of Facts.

Not only has Microsoft behaved this way in the past, they have not changed. Their current business practices continue to cause harm on a daily basis.

Microsoft continues to expose the market to unreasonable risk (look at the holes in the most recent version XP). As a web developer utilizing linux as a server I see this first hand. My servers get hit every day by infected Microsoft servers attempting to infect them. Without real competition you must pity the casual user that sits at home with his/her computer fully vulnerable to attack with basically no other choice.

Not only that the lost cause by this (Billions in the case of the Code Red Virus) is not the responsibility of MicroSoft.

So, if you let them be hold them responsible for their actions and products. Let them have same level of responsibility for their product the Ford has.

Sincerely,

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